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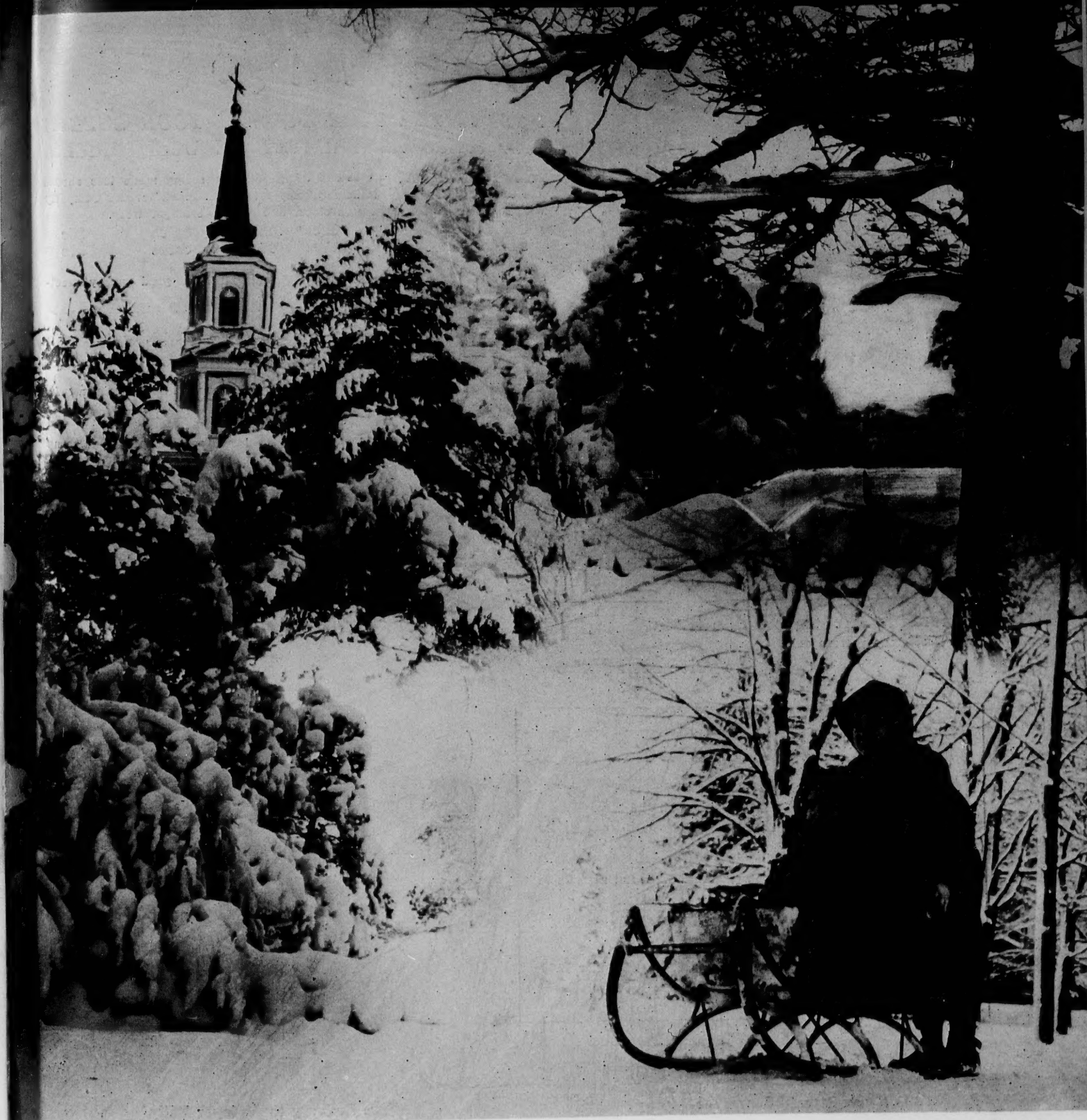
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JANUARY 9, 1941

# BRIGGS-ALLEN NOTES

With the close of the old year, a summing up of 1940's accomplishments often presents a picture of which many can be proud. At the Christmas exercises held at Briggs-Allen school recently those who had obtained outstanding records were awarded prizes. Gale Dannels, Grace Delemare and Helen Vannett received awards for per-

fect attendance from September 16 to December 20; Edna Beck, for recognition of excellent scholastic work, and Miss Helen Vannett had the very pleasant honor of receiving a telegram from Santa Claus containing two passes to the Andover Playhouse. Mr. Samuel Resnik also distributed passes to the children's movie.

School will reopen Monday, January 6, with Mrs. Thaxter

Eaton, Mrs. Howard Rowe, Miss Edna Marland and Miss Martha Howe planning new features for the new year.

Transportation is furnished for children in Andover and Shawsheen.

Miss Mariatta Tower has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Tower of Phillips street...

Mrs. Long of Bluehill, Maine, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Wright of Shawsheen road...

Catherine Stowers, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers, is enjoying the holiday recess from her studies at Mary Washington, Virginia...

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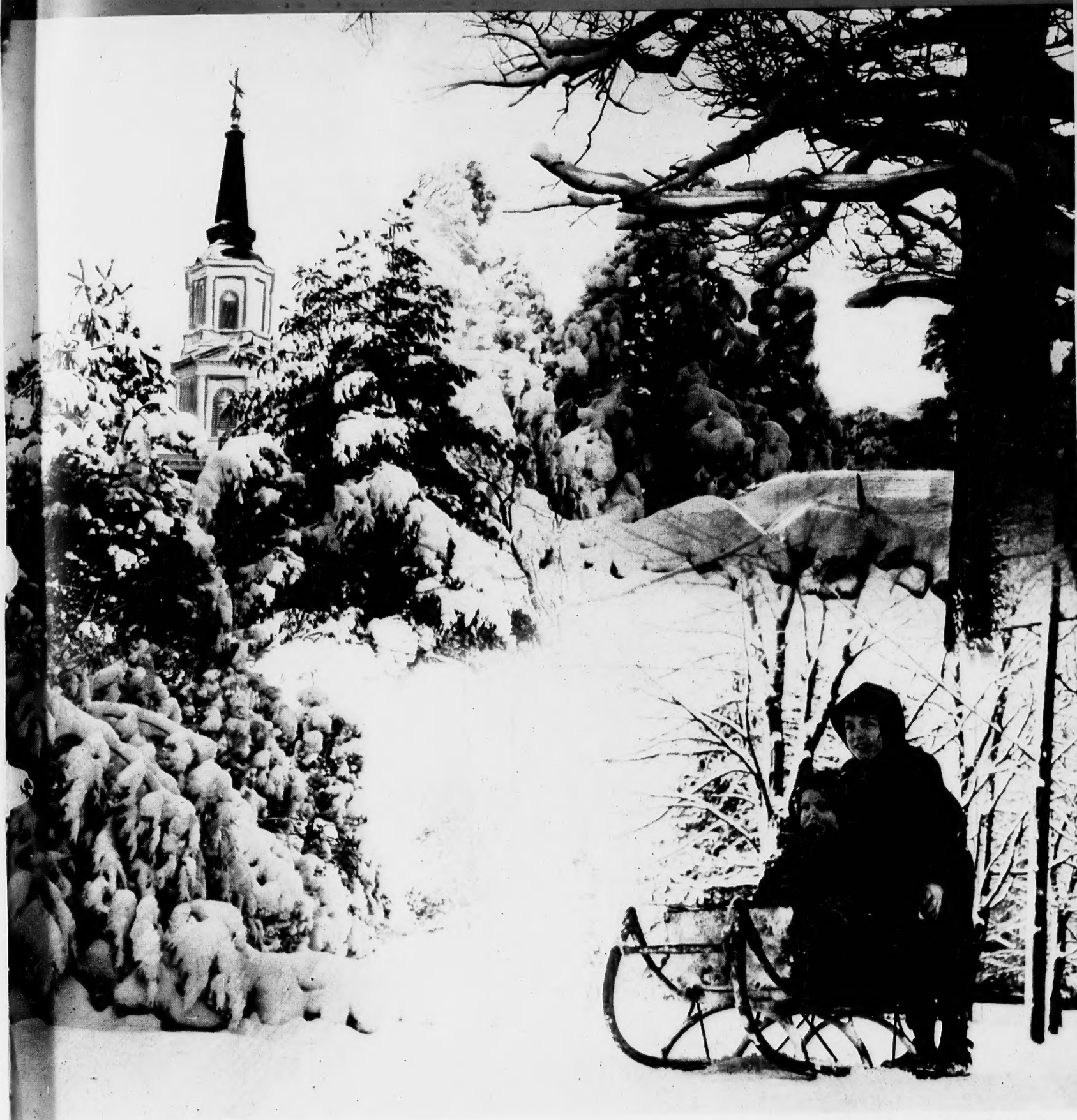
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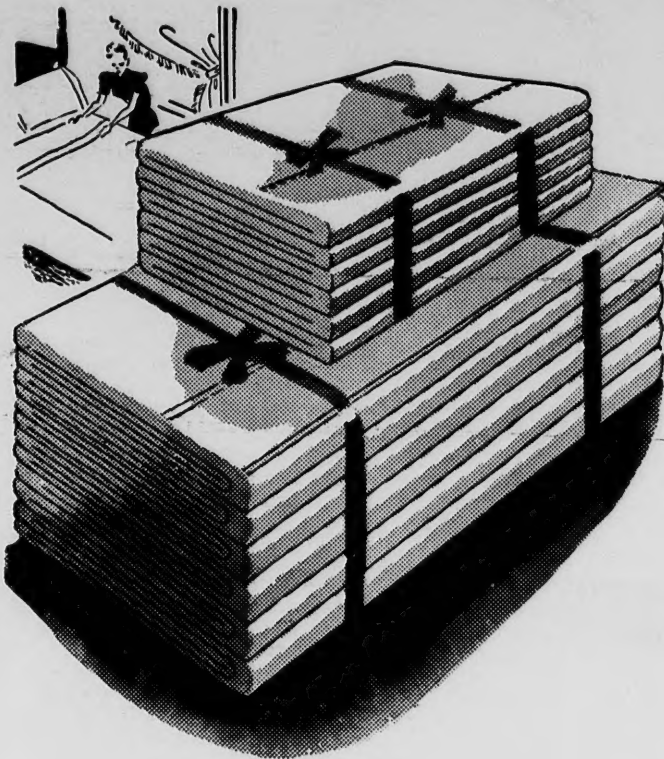
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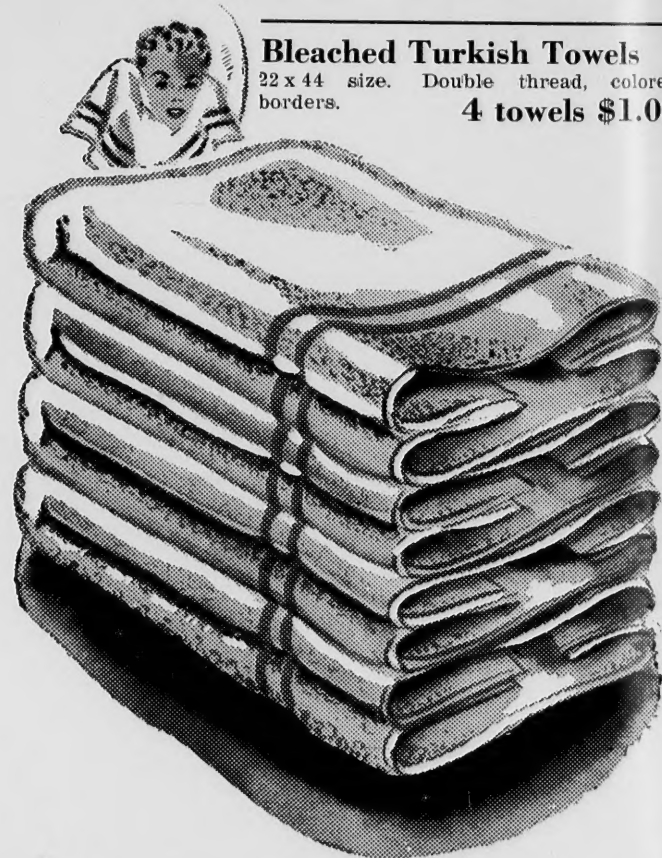
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### ESTABLISH VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE OFFICE

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### NEW LADDER TRUCK

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## ESTABLISH VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE OFFICE

Punchard high students are to have individual conferences hereafter on their educational and vocational future. Tuesday night the school committee voted to establish an office where this might be done, with Edward Manning and Mrs. Emma G. Carter as counselors in Guidance. Miss Mary Bailey, who conducts the evening alien courses, will also have desk space in this office.

## NEW LADDER TRUCK?

A request for a new ladder truck for the fire department may appear in the annual warrant this year. The present ladder truck was bought in 1923, and according to members of the department, it is very difficult to obtain part replacements because it is obsolete.

## LIBRARY NOTES

The following books have recently been added to the Memorial Hall library:

"The Wandering Lake." (Hedin). In 1900 Sven Hedin predicted that Lake Lop-Nor and two rivers which fed it, would return to the beds they occupied 1500 years before. In 1928 his prophecy was fulfilled. This is the story of the East Turkestan miracle.

"The Moon Was Low." (Dickens). A sensitive portrait of the growth of a young English girl, written by the author of "One Pair of Hands."

"The Port of Gloucester." (Connolly). The author has done more than connect a series of anecdotes of our famous seaport town. He has made this history of our fishing port a live and vital record.

"The Gaspe Coast in Focus." (Montgomery). Beautiful photographs, excellent make-up and a pleasant flowing style of text, all combine to make a delightful picture of the Gaspe country.

"The City on the Hill." (Sims). A battle against the corruption of a small Southern city and the problem of deciding the most important step in his personal life form the theme of this thought-provoking novel.

"Dark Entry." (Carroll). Shirley Heyward inherited a beautiful Maryland estate, only to find that, except for the carelessness of her dead relative, the estate should have gone to young Wayne Laurens. This is the story of their adjustment of the situation.

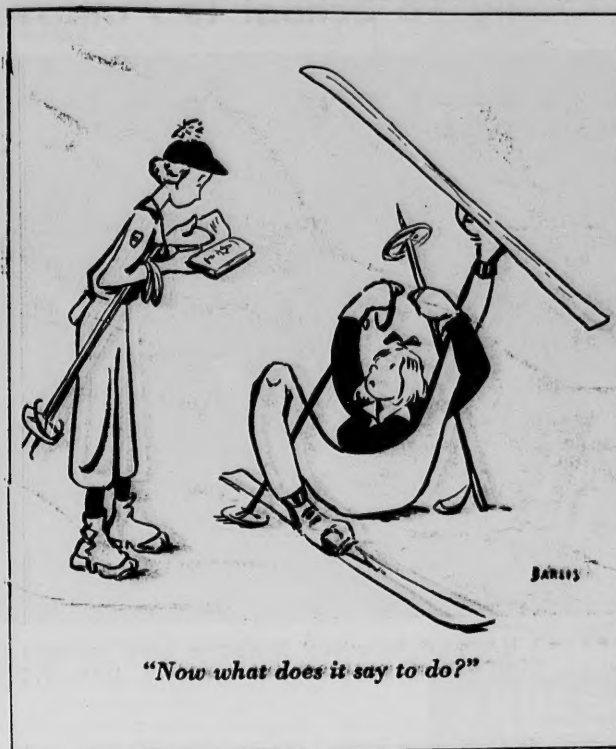
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"Gertrude Bell." (Bodley and Hearst). Spurred on by her love for the East, Gertrude Bell explored the deserts of the East, made maps, studied the history and archeology of the country and finally received an appointment to Mesopotamia. With Lawrence and Sir Percy Cox she helped organize Iraq.

"The Second Empire; France under Napoleon III." (Aubry). The greatest living authority on Napoleon presents here an important account of the period.

"I Saw France Fall." (Chambrun). In what is perhaps one of the finest personal accounts of the war, we have an officer's exciting record of France in the war, through the evacuation of Dunkerque.

## Sketches on Skis



(Presenting the first in a series of cartoons by Barsis, artist who last year published a widely read book of sketches on skiing, entitled "Bottoms Up." These are exclusive with the Townsman in this area.)

## Thrift Shop Will Open Thrift Week

If you're walking along Main street in the vicinity of the square these days and you get knocked down by a gust of something, don't blame the wind. It's just one of Christ church's ladies zooming around onto Post Office avenue to aid in the preparations for the opening of the Andover Thrift Shop on Saturday, January 18. Equally enthusiastic for the success of the shop are all patrons of things civic in town.

The new Thrift Shop will sell donations and commission goods six days of the week. Mrs. Harold Abbott, Mrs. Ernest Young, Mrs. George Sawyer, and Mrs. William Hughes are among the large corps from Andover and North Andover who have volunteered to act as saleswomen.

Gallons of gay colored paint and a general air of reconstruction is going on at 13 Post Office Avenue, the site of the new shop, and with Mrs. John M. Stewart and Mrs. N. E. Bartlett in charge of the decorations it will undoubtedly gleam like the Star of Bethlehem and outshine everything in the vicinity. Aiding in the general plans for the shop are Mrs. Guy Howe, Mrs. Julius Rockwell, Mrs. Douglas Byers, Mrs. C. Carlton Kimball, and Mrs. Dean Walen.

The Andover artists are busy submitting posters for the competition that is being held, and amateur slogan makers are vying with each other to do their bit in putting the shop across to the public. "It's Nifty to be Thrifty"—"Here today — sold tomorrow," "There will always be a 'Bargain,'" and "Luxuriana Purchase" have all been considered. Mrs. Charles Gabeler, who is in charge of the "stock," reports that pieces such as an old sideboard, spool bed, and old glass, are among the early contributions. Working with Mrs.

Gabeler are Mrs. M. Phillips Graham, Mrs. Albert C. Morris, and Mrs. Walter E. Howe. Children's and men's clothing will be a specialty, and when we asked about millinery we were told that Panama (and any other kind of) Hat-tie could be had.

Mrs. Walter Rankin will have charge of the open house day January 18. Tea and coffee will await the visitors who come to the shop from 10:00 o'clock to 5:00, armed with some salable contribution as the price of admission. The Thrift Shop will be open throughout the week of January 13, from 10:00 o'clock to 2:00 to receive contributions.

The opening of the new shop has inspired Mrs. Harold Sawyer to write the following poem:

"It's Nifty to be Thrifty,"  
Is the slogan up our way  
Post Office Avenue holds open house  
On this month's eighteenth day;  
Bring bundles in from ten to five,  
For welcoming you soon  
Is coffee in the morning  
And tea by afternoon

At  
The Andover Thrift-Shop.  
We've gifts for every member  
Of your family, great and small;  
Household goods and clothing,  
Seasonable for all:  
The practical, the beautiful,  
Sleds and skates and skis,  
Furniture, jewelry, books and shoes  
In good condition, so to please  
Our Thrift-Shop.

The Functions of a Thrift-Shop,  
For information plain,  
Is selling on commission,  
That all involved may gain;  
The donor and the customer,  
As well as charity  
Share price-marks on each little tag  
And fair exchange will be  
Our Thrift-Shop.

Mrs. Guy Howe is the Chairman,  
Edith Sellars, Treasurer,  
And Head of all Donations  
Is Mrs. Charles Gabeler;  
For Christ Church, Guild and Red Cross,  
Committees do their best,  
But we invite your faith and cash  
And you to do the rest  
For  
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### BETTER NOT PARK YOUR CAR ALL NIGHT

If you leave your car parked on the highway all night, if it snows during the night and if you wake up in the morning and can't see your car, don't start digging in the snow for it. Just call the police and ask them which garage they towed it to, then go to the garage and pay the towing and storage charge.

Yes, they're going to do it hereafter. If you leave your car out all night and it makes plowing operations difficult, the police will have the car towed away. In November new traffic rules were adopted, and one of them prohibits all-night parking. It's a rule which the police will not enforce, however, except in snow storms.

The chief stated that much of the trouble comes from Shaw-sheen Village, in the Enmore and Argyle street sections. Here the plow has to wind in and out between cars parked on both sides of the road.

## Collins To Run; Mrs. Angus Not

It's about time for Andover's political kettle to start boiling again. The only unusual feature of the annual election to be held on March 3rd will be the first election of a town treasurer and a tax collector for more than one year. Under a new procedure adopted at the last town meeting the town treasurer will be elected this year for a three year term and the tax collector will be elected for a two year term and thereafter for three years.

The only definite statements made yet on the campaign have come from Representative Collins, who states that he will be a candidate for re-election as selectman and assessor, and from school committee member Mrs. Annie Angus, who told her committee Tuesday night that she definitely would not run this year. Three years ago Mrs. Angus had expressed a wish to retire, but her friends finally induced her to be a candidate, and she stipulated then that this would be her last term.

Officials whose terms expire this year are: selectman and assessor, Rep. J. Everett Collins; moderator, Fred Butler; tax collector, James Christie; treasurer, Thaxter Eaton; public works board member, Sidney P. White; school committee members Frederick C. Smith, Katherine A. Baldwin and Annie S. Angus; health board member, George G. Brown; Memorial Hall library trustee William A. Trow; planning board member Edward P. Hall; constables George Dane, J. Lewis Smith and George N. Sparks.

Town clerk Winslow yesterday set February 6 at 4:30 as the closing date for the filing of nomination papers with 165 signatures, and the same time for the filing of special articles for the town meeting.

Registration dates announced were: Feb. 4, town house; Feb. 6, Shaw-sheen Village; Feb. 11, West Parish; Feb. 13, Ballardvale; Feb. 14, the Hill; Feb. 19, town house. All except the last will be from 7 to 9 p. m. The final one will be from noon to 10.

## Going To School Is Andover's Evening Hobby



MAESTRO HAROLD PHINNEY DIRECTS THE "PORTLAND FANCY" AS THE ACADEMY ADULT EDUCATION COURSE ON SQUARE DANCING OPENS.

(Photo by Surette)

With the largest enrollment since their opening in 1935, with more communities represented than ever before, and with all the pleasant hubbub which accompanies the gathering of classmates who are glad to meet again, the Andover Evening Study Groups have begun their seventh season.

As in past years, the course in Current Affairs draws the largest number of members. In his opening address for the course, Mr. van der Stucken reviewed briefly the events of the Second World War, commenting on the reasons for and the significance of each. He then raised a number of thought-provoking questions for the future. How long can England withstand the tremendous aerial bombardment being inflicted by Germany? What terrible things may happen if plane production proceeds at the rate of 3,000 a month with only 300 or so

being shot down in the same space of time? Will Germany come to the aid of Italy, and, if so, how and when and where? What will Bulgaria do, with Axis military and diplomatic pressure on one side and Russian encouragement to resistance on the other? Such questions as these will be considered in the weeks to follow in the light of historic backgrounds and current happenings.

With the exception of the Photography classes all the limited enrollment courses are closed, but registrations will still be accepted for the unlimited courses.

Going to school has become very much in the mode. Four nights a week crowds are swarming up to Phillips Academy for the adult education courses there. And now all over town little groups of citizens

and non-citizens are gathering in the public schools for night courses.

Up at the North school Monday night Supervisor Miss Mary G. Bailey opened a new class, and the response was so heavy that three classes will probably be necessary. Good-sized classes were also opened at Shaw-sheen and in the Vale Monday night. Tuesday night a First Aid Class was started at the Central plant, and this class is filled with a waiting list. The same is true of the Decorative Designing class which opened last night. And it looks like another class will have to be formed at West Center.

Miss Bailey has seven teachers with her now, with one more to be added. They are: Florence McCarthy, Helen Thompson, Arlene McEvoy, Margaret Gallagher, Josephine Callagy, Theresa McLay, and Mrs. Mary Roundy.

## Annual Meeting Time For Churches

The Free Church and South Church will hold their annual meetings at their respective Churches on Wednesday, January 15. A supper will be served at the Free Church in charge of the Helping Hand Society. The committee in charge: Mrs. Hugh McLay, Mrs. Alexander MacKenzie, Mrs. George Nicoll, Mrs. James Edgar, Mrs. Alexander Beedie, Mrs. Lily Harris, Mrs. Joshua Paine and Mrs. Edmond Dunwoody. Tickets must be purchased before Monday.

The West Church had its meeting on January 1, but the West Parish meeting will be held tonight, January 9. Annual reports will be read followed by the election of officers.

Monday, January 20, is the day chosen for the Christ Church meeting.

## BRITISH WAR RELIEF OFFICES TO OPEN

The local British War Veterans are opening up War Relief offices in the Musgrove building, in the section formerly used as a post office, car salesroom, etc.

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE TO BE BOWLED OVER?

They'll fight, of course, but Andover's school committee is already really conceding defeat. The teachers have been bowling and the committee hasn't, but when you're challenged to a bowling match, you'd take an awful pinning if you failed to accept. So the school committee, which has only six male members, will soon meet the team of teachers on the alleys. The teachers are expected to do their best to win, because they're all on tenure.

## APPOINTED JANITOR-IN-CHIEF

Fred L. Collins, janitor at the high school for years, head janitor at the Central plant for a few years, became janitor-in-chief of the whole system at the school board meeting Tuesday night. He has been handling the job without the title for some time.

Captain Everett B. Mersereau of the National Guard will leave with the Guard on January 16 for Camp Edwards. Captain Mersereau has been forming an anti-tank outfit.

## Ready To Watch For Enemy Planes

Andover's Air Observation post is scheduled to go into operation on Tuesday, January 21, under the auspices of the local Legion. Everything except the schedule of men who will go on duty has been arranged.

The post is in a little house on Arthur Jenkins' property at the corner of Ballardvale and Sunset Rock roads. It is planned to have someone there all the time, probably in two-hour or four-hour shifts, with the observers all being volunteers. If an "enemy plane" is sighted, the observer immediately picks up the phone and says, "Army Flash" to the operator. She immediately transfers the call to the Army Information Center.

## XMAS SEALS PAYMENT DUE

The purchase of Christmas Seals provides funds for tuberculosis prevention and rehabilitation which are used throughout the year for this work. Those who have neglected to forward their donations are urged to send them as soon as possible to Mrs. Frank Brigham, 9 Punchard avenue.

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# HOUSE BOMBED, But Model Trains And Cats Came First

Adolf Hitler has a good many more things to worry about than tanks, airplanes, and warships. He has against him a lot of Britishers who aren't scared by bombs—in fact, when a bomb drops in on the middle of their bed they tell their American friends about it on page nine of an eleven page letter, the first several pages being devoted mainly to Mac's model trains, and the activities of Flooggy and Peter, the family cats.

Miss Grace Lake of Punchard avenue recently received a letter from an English cousin, who after spending much space on all the usual homely chapter very casually says: "One night 'Jerry' dropped a visiting card on this house... the bomb fell through the roof, the loft and exploded in the center of Mac's bed."

Following are excerpts from the letter from war-torn England where violent death has become such an every-day part of life:

"This particular bomb, a delayed action, was dug out after four days. It was 8 feet high, weighing 1,000 lbs. The men who dig out these bombs are doing a marvelous piece of work. There is no knowing when they may explode. Some have lain in the ground for more than a week before exploding, and another time they will go off after only an hour.

There has been a great deal of damage—just wanton damage, but the Demolition squads of the A. R. P. have been setting to work to clear it up. And now very many soldiers of the Army Pioneer Corps are busy clearing up the debris, and in places it is now difficult to remember just what sort of building stood on the various empty patches of land. But it has been very heartbreaking to go on our journey to the office and see so many places down, and to realize so many people are homeless. Two of my club friends have had their business premises badly damaged, but Eva's place was not stopped carrying on at all. Nancy's firm got very much more seriously damaged, but being at night no one was killed, and after less than a week the debris had been cleared away and the girls in the store were selling their goods just as though it was a normal job to have their counters a little more closely packed as a part of the store could not be used for a while longer. But that is the spirit everywhere. The bombing and the wrecking of homes, churches, shops, public buildings, hasn't scared the folks, it has only made them all the more determined to grit their teeth and to see this thing called a war through to the bitter end and victory for the British and those sound members of nations who believe like we do that Righteousness will prevail..."

(Here there was a section devoted to life in the shelters, where the writer and Mrs. Smith, an air raid warden, had to sleep in a space 4 feet 6 inches square!)

"One night, or rather 1:15 A. M., Jerry dropped a visiting card on this house. Mac was not at home, and just as well, as the incendiary bomb fell through the roof, the loft and exploded in the center of Mac's bed. The Smiths had been off duty for about an hour and a half and were settled in their bunks. It had been a noisy night. Suddenly we heard an H. E. (which is a high explosive bomb) fall not

far away. That wakened us. Immediately we heard a Molotov bread basket burst overhead. My God, Auntie Mac, Mr. Smith said, jumping up, that's our house. Mrs. Smith who had her shoes on was out of the shelter like a flash pulling her uniform jacket on as she ran up the path. Her husband wasn't a moment later as he had his uniform on, but had to stop for his shoes. "Stay where you are," Mrs. Smith said. I asked could I come and she said "No," and I guessed it was our house. But the dirty work having been done the visitor had quickly flown away not liking the heavy gunfire following him. I, of course, was fully dressed, except for shoes, which I soon had on. I peeped out, saw Mac's room ablaze and in a flash I was up the path. Mr. Smith was just running for me to ask for Mac's stirrup pump. It always is kept on the garden seat under the verandah, but it was so black the wardens couldn't see it. In that brief space of time four more wardens were in the house before me, but the stirrup pumps belonging to the Post were in use. I believe three neighbours also were in the house, but it was so dark I only saw one. Anyway I was kept busy filling buckets of water for the wardens to use for the stirrup pump. They were wonderfully quick, and it is owing to their swiftness on the job (and the fact that no time was lost owing to Mac having his own stirrup pump) that so little damage was done.... During the next dinner time, when I was at home helping, two houses farther down the road collapsed with an H. E. So you can see how fortunate we are. And also why we don't stay indoors at night but put our trust in Providence and be thankful there is an Anderson shelter.... Still, you can carry on with your usual activities and not worry about us. All we want is plenty of help in the way of ammunition and 'planes, and we'll win through. Until then we are carrying on with the slogan which is on the fronts of all damaged shops 'Business as usual,' and keeping our chins up."

## PERSONALS

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Mrs. Helen Brown of Montreal has returned home after a 3 weeks' stay at the home of Dr. John C. Brown, 102 Main street.

Mrs. Florence Bliss has moved from Florence street to the Aberdeen Apartments.

Constance Cole returned to her studies at Oak Grove Seminary after enjoying her Christmas vacation at her home on High street.

Miss Esther Elliott of 84 Summer street has returned to Boston after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fay H. Elliott, and also part of her vacation with classmates in Pittsfield and Springfield. She is a junior at Emerson college and a member of the night school teaching staff at the West End Community House.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Foye of Andover are visiting in St. Petersburg, Florida.

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The Andover Grange could have quite a journey with all the songs they are intending to render on the "look-forward-to" dates of January 16 and 17. The brief list of song titles previously mentioned is only a very few of the favorites, old and new, that are going to be presented for the public. One of the specialties, "In A Moon Boat," will be sung by the Grangettes, Irma and Norma Darby and Helen and Wilma (Corliss) Abbott. The quartet will provide a background for the soloist, Miss Edna Lambert, who will also be accompanied by another set of sisters, Sylvia and Avis Robson.

We could talk on and on about the excellent show that is going to be included in the program but even then we could not do it justice—as the old saying goes, "Seeing Is Believing" so don't miss the Andover Grange Minstrel Show. General dancing will follow Friday's performance.

Dear Ladies:

This is to inform you that if you have any male relative belonging to the Andover Service club be sure he takes you to the Andover Inn on January 23, as that is annual ladies' night.

After the dinner which is to be served at 7:00, Aloha Baker is to give a first hand account of her adventures in strange places.

Tell your male escort that tickets are only \$1.00 and may be obtained from the secretary or chairman.

Sincerely yours,

THE ANDOVER SERVICE CLUB

P. S. The dress is strictly informal.

Strains of music will emanate from the Memorial auditorium on January 24 as that is the evening of the Burns Anniversary Concert. The following people, well known in the music circles, will be on the program: Miss Susan Ripley, Mrs. Clara Taylor, Leland Buzzell, Henry Fairweather, Willet Eccles, and, of course, the evening would not be complete if the Andover Male Choir and the Community Orchestra didn't render selections.

The Clan Johnston, the Arbroathians, the British War Veterans and the Auxiliaries are in charge of the tickets which are only 50 cents.

The Sorority of Our Lady is sponsoring a card party January 16 in the Parochial school hall. There will be various table prizes and a large door prize. Miss Eileen Lawson is chairman of the committee assisted by the Misses Betty Costello, Theresa Whelan, Sally O'Riordan, Jaclyn McCarthy, Janice Driscoll, Catherine O'Riordan, Janet Gillen, and Katherine Quill.

The "Blue Bag" is full of valuable pearls but of what value is it if nobody knows where it is located? Do you know? If you haven't the slightest conception of where it is, why not go to the Free Church, Friday, January 10 at 8:00 and learn the answer? The "Blue Bag" is a 3-act mystery by J. C. McMullen, directed by Everett Gorrie, and presented by the Senior Christian Endeavor. Tickets are only 35 cents.



On February 6, Thursday, the Andover Teachers' Association is planning a bridge and entertainment. There isn't much material on this card party yet, but we expect to have more later on. The committee in charge includes Miss Dorothy Kyle, Chairman, Miss Mary Collins, Miss Jessie Brown, Mrs. Lena Dodson, Mrs. Kenneth Hilton, Mrs. Henry Sanborn, Miss Jane Fitzhugh, and Miss Mina Noyes. Tickets are now on sale, so buy yours early and be sure of a very pleasant evening.

Make plans to go to Davis Hall at 8:00 o'clock next Saturday evening, January 11, and witness several plays by the Curtis Beach Marionettes. Although the plays are exceedingly humorous, they are of distinct literary and artistic value. The marionettes are about a quarter the size of a man and are expertly carved and costumed. A full length play, "The Matchmakers," and two shorter pieces, "The Dance of the Skeletons" and "How the Elephant Got His Trunk" will be presented for Abbot Academy and friends of the school. There will be no charge for admission.

Don't make plans to go anywhere on Friday evening, January 17, because there will be a lecture at the George Washington Hall at Phillips Academy that no one will want to miss. Mr. Grant Wood, artist from Iowa, will deliver a lecture on "Regional Art." Mr. Wood is an auspicious figure in contemporary American Art and will speak about the controversy between artists who refuse to be bound by local tradition as well as those who glory in it.

This lecture will be of interest to everyone, the layman as well as the critic, since the wars of Europe have brought greater public interest to bear on American art and artists than ever before.

Among Mr. Wood's drawings exhibited at the Addison Gallery of American Art until February 17th, are "Portrait of Henry Wallace," "Death on Ridge Road," "Fertility," and "Honorary Degree" which will provide the audience with a first hand knowledge of his art.

Now, more than ever, we want to help the British children and people, and here is how you can all help. The Guild leaders and young people are planning a War Relief week which will be from February 3 to February 8 inclusive.

The program will consist of a series of entertainments, socials and the soliciting of pennies from friends and parents. The pennies are for the children of England and will be turned over to the local board of British War Relief.

There will be something doing every day in the week. One of the special features will be a card party sponsored by the Women's Bowling Committee on Wednesday evening, February 5. Mrs. James Mitchell is in charge.

The second concert of the Andover Celebrity Series will be held Friday evening, January 24, in George Washington Hall. Mischa Elman, renowned violinist who has been acclaimed on six continents, will be the artist. Elman, beginning as a child prodigy, was concertising through all of Europe's capitals at the age of 12. He has been giving concerts to very appreciative audiences in Australia, China, Japan, Brazil, Argentina and practically all other countries.

Those who attended the other concert in this series will not want to miss this one which is equally as important, if not more so.

The Musical Clubs of Abbot and Phillips Academies will present their annual concert on Saturday evening, January 18, at 7:30 in Cochran Chapel. There will be choruses by the combined clubs, an orchestral trio, and solo numbers all for only 25 cents.

With so many places to go no wonder the cop at the right has a bewildered expression.

He's wondering if we'll remember the Policeman's Ball to be held on February 21 in the Memorial Auditorium. Of course he needn't wonder any longer—we all know that our calendar is marked "must go" to that very occasion as it has been marked for the past several years. As usual there is going to be an hour, possibly more, of very lively entertainment, and general dancing will follow. The orchestra is undecided as yet, but we are sure they will follow their usual good taste and have someone we all enjoy.



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Miss Frances Hartman is on the committee for the 4-H Service Club Banquet to be held by the Essex Agricultural School.

Cadet Private First Class Phillips Foster, son of Mrs. William P. Foster of Central street, has returned to his studies at Riverside Military Academy in Hollywood, Florida.

George Markey, a student at Washburn College, Topeka, Kansas, returned recently to his studies after enjoying a vacation at his home on High street.

George Nicoll, Washington avenue, has returned to Amherst College after spending the holidays with his parents.

### WEST PARISH

Mr. Albion Johnson of Norfolk, Mass., spent Sunday with the Peterson family of Greenwood road. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood and son of Swansea, recently visited with friends in the Parish. Mrs. Lawrence Thomas of Bailey road is slowly improving at her home from a severe attack of the grippe. Herbert Muller of Hartford, Conn., spent the week-end with his parents on High Plain road. Sprague Frost has returned to his home in West Newton after spending several days with his friend, William Dainard of Lowell street. Mrs. Lewis Lane and son William of High Plain road have returned from a visit with relatives in Chicago, Illinois. Winifred Bryant has returned to her home in Somerville after enjoying a visit with her cousin, Janet Carter of Lowell street. Mrs. Bertha Reed of Argilla road is spending the winter months in St. Petersburg, Florida. Miss Julia Brian has returned to her home in Brockton after enjoying the holidays with Mrs. Walter Pike of Lowell street. After spending several days in New York City, Miss Betty Carter has returned to her home on Lowell street. Edward Urmstrom of Chandler road and his daughter, Mrs. Perry M. Sharpe of Franklin, N. H., are enjoying a two week cruise to Haiti and the Panama Canal Zone.

Friends of Mrs. Edwin Strain will be pleased to know that she has sufficiently recovered to be able to return from the Lucy Hastings Hospital in Manchester, to her home in Melrose.

The following g/r's have returned to school after enjoying their Christmas vacations at their respective homes: Janet Carter to Northfield Seminary, Dorothy Davidson to Katherine Gibbs, and Marilyn Lewis to the University of New Hampshire.

### SHAWSHEEN

Miss Alice Cates of North Main street spent the New Year's holidays in New York. Judith Olson of Milton visited with friends in the village recently.

Returning to their studies Wednesday at Abbot Academy were local students: Edna Nutton, Marjorie and Dorothy Dean, Barbara Lindsay, Jean Schubert, Marilyn Barlow, Charlotte Bowes and Joan Waugh.

Mrs. Thomas Neil of Balmoral street is recuperating from a recent operation at the Lawrence General Hospital.

Mrs. Clara Anderson of Poor street observed her 90th birthday Saturday in the company of her children and grandchildren.

### BALLARDVALE

Miss Marjorie Mears spent Sunday visiting relatives in Everett. Miss Ruth Nicoll and Miss Esther Stein were recent visitors in New York. Dwight Moody of Morristown, N. J., visited his father on Marland road over the week-end. Mrs. Ralph Greenwood of Tewksbury street spent the week-end visiting her mother in Dover, N. H. Mrs. Donald Dunn and daughters, Dawn and Dorothy, have returned from South Hadley.

Ballardvale has quite a sick list including the following people: Alan and Judith Nowell, Edith Gordon, Thelma Sparks, Donald, John and Marylyn Ness. Walter MacTammany, Sr., is ill at his home on Andover street as are Shirley Brown, Arthur Colbath, Rev. and Mrs. David Segestrom, Mrs. John Platt, James O'Brien and Mrs. McGhie.

Those returning to schools from the Vale are John Rogge to Columbia University, James Haggerty to the University of Michigan, Margaret Hadley to Lowell Teachers' College, George Brown, Jr., to Hebron Academy, Berniece Moody to Abbot, Theodore Eschholz, Leslie Hadley, Robert Simon, James Morton, Jr. to Phillips and John Haggerty and John Moran to Suffolk Law School.

Friends of Kenneth (Buddy) Nicoll will be interested to know that he has enlisted in the army and is now located at Camp Blanding in Starke, Florida.

### RED CROSS TO DISTRIBUTE BOYS' AND MEN'S CLOTHING

The Red Cross rooms, Main street, will be open on Monday, January 13, from 10 a. m. to 12 a. m. for the distribution of boys' and men's clothing. No clothing for women and children will be available at that time.

### PROGRAM BY MRS. MORSE

A musical program was given by Mrs. Allison Morse, Contralto, and Gerard Haft, Cellist, at the North Parish Alliance, in North Andover, on Thursday.

The program included cello numbers by Haydn and Rubino, and songs by Chapman, Lang and Schubert. Mr. Haft also played an original obligato for Schubert's Ave Maria, which was sung by Mrs. Morse. Mrs. Fred Whittier was the accompanist.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

W. Shirley Barnard has made the following real estate transfers:

The seven room colonial brick home at 20 William Street, owned by Paul M. and Elizabeth E. Rice has been sold to Weston F. and Rachael D. Eastman.

The five room house on South Main street, owned by Dana F. Perkins has been sold to George W. and Rebecca L. Campbell.

The one and one-half acre farm at 263 South Main street, owned by Anna P. Schofield has been sold to Vernon R. and Mae V. Walker.

The six room house at 4 Maple avenue owned by the late John Gordon has been sold to Richard M. and Marjorie Zecchini.

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## ★★★ EDITORIALS ★★★

### Something for the Firemen to Do?

One day within the past year the son of a local clergyman was passing the fire station when the firemen were lined up in front of it watching Park street being tarred. It bothered him and he pondered over it all night. In the morning he put the problem to his mother: "Why is it that the firemen get paid for talking while they're sitting down, and daddy gets paid for talking, too, but he has to stand up?"

The little boy's problem is everybody's problem, everybody in every town over the country. Not that we want firemen to stand up while they're talking—what everyone, even the firemen themselves, want is for them to have something to do, something to keep them occupied. Possibly our new chief can find some means of putting the firemen's great amount of leisure time to some productive use.

If Chief Buchan desires to keep the boys busy, he will have quite a problem on his hands. A town has to have a certain number of men at the station at all times, ready to respond to an alarm, or take the ambulance out on call. Therefore, he will have to find something for them to do in close proximity to the engine house. If he can do that, he will have earned the gratitude of the town for getting more out of the fire department appropriation, and the gratitude of the men themselves for giving them something to do. For the worst job in the world to the average man is doing nothing; it's not a healthy situation, and our local firemen, being normal men, would prefer to have something to occupy their time with.

### Are You a Fender Denter?

Are you one of those persons who, getting out of a parking space, or driving past a parked car, have bumped into a mudguard and then driven off? Why didn't you get out and look to see if you had done any damage? Chances are you did, because mudguards bend very easily. Don't you think the owner of the car when he comes out and finds his fender dented has a right to feel pretty peeved?

It's happening every day here in Andover. It's even happened to the police chief's car! Legally you become a hit-and-run driver, and if you're caught, you go on the black list and you just don't run a car any more. But what happens if you report the slight mishap? The chances are then that the owner of the other car will have his fender repaired by your insurance company, instead of having to dig down into his own pocket. Nothing will happen to you, and you'll have a clear conscience. That's worth quite a bit.

### Now's The Time

There will be a vacancy in at least one town elective office this year, for Mrs. Annie S. Angus of the school committee has announced that she definitely will not run again. There couldn't be a better example to bring out a point that we have often stressed: that we should try our best before the nomination deadline to urge the town's better citizens to run for office. Mrs. Angus has been one of the best

members that the school committee has had, and it would be too bad for Andover if the field that the town had to pick from on March 3rd were a poor one. Andover has been lucky in the past; with a few exceptions it has at present a very excellent set of public officials. But if you go through the list and pick out the ones you think aren't very good, you'll discover that the reason that they were elected was that the list of nominees did not include substantial citizens with sufficient public appeal to garner the necessary votes. Between now and the closing of the nominations let's do our best to build up a field that will make the chances of a poor candidate very slim.

### No Representation

It's not yet two hundred years ago that the United States won its independence from Great Britain mainly on the score of "Taxation without representation." But history apparently doesn't count for much in these days; President Roosevelt could hardly be expected to harken back to those days of 1775 when he doesn't even go back in history to the days after November 11, 1918, when the wishes of the United States meant nothing in the peace negotiations.

But there are many people in the United States who object to "War without representation, based on foreign policy without representation." They want Great Britain to win this war, but they're asking themselves several things. If we have to go to the rescue of Great Britain, they wonder why we weren't consulted during those British foreign office negotiations which eventually resulted in this war. They go back to Versailles, and they wonder, if we do go into the war, whether our wishes in the peace negotiations will have any weight at all. If we're to become an integral part of the British Empire in these frequent campaigns to make the world safe for Democracy, why can't we have a say in their foreign policy? If we do, and if we use our common sense, wars won't be necessary. President Roosevelt should put just as much emphasis on this phase of his dealings with Britain as he is on his endeavors to rush arms over there.

### Party For Chinese

The second of a score or more of subscription parties initiated by supporters of the Andover Chapter of the American Bureau for Medical Aid to China, Inc., was given this afternoon by Mrs. Bert G. Spaulding at Wildwood Farm. There were over 150 subscribing guests in attendance. An interesting program arranged by Mrs. Spaulding included bridge, with prizes, auctions and Chinese delicacies for sale, including rare teas, preserves, and other attractions. Mrs. Spaulding was aided by Mrs. Frances P. McClellan, who was in charge of art sales and who contributed objects of her own from her charming gift shop on Orchard street. Other assistants are Mrs. Henry Perkins, Mrs. Arthur Hall and Mrs. C. D. Shaw, daughter of Mrs. Spaulding. Mr. John H. Playdon donated three dozen beautiful roses as bridge prizes.

## DEATHS

Mrs. Michael V. passed away yesterday at her home in Lawrence in Andover the great life, having moved to her home on Brechin terrace in the past year. She was a known member of the Sodality while in Andover two years ago. Mrs. her husband following at the Tye Rubber

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Mrs. Michael Winters, who passed away yesterday afternoon at her home in Lawrence, had lived in Andover the greater part of her life, having moved from her former home on Brechin terrace only within the past year. She was a well-known member of the Sacred Heart Sodality while in Andover. About two years ago Mrs. Winters lost her husband following an accident at the Tyer Rubber Company.

Surviving are four sons, Joseph, Robert, John, Augustine; five daughters, Mrs. Enos Farrington, Mrs. William Upton of Brookline, Mrs. John Dineen of North Andover, Mrs. Daniel Driscoll of Andover, and Sister Mary Ruth of Carney, N. J.; two brothers, John and Hugh Boyle; two sisters, Mrs. Trubie Burrow of Rhode Island and Mrs. William Hennessey of Andover.

The Hart family on High street, which has given well of its number to religious life, was grief-stricken Sunday when word came of the passing in Ilchester, Md., of Sister Mary St. Nicholas of the Notre Dame order. She was born Mary Hart here in Andover and was educated in the local public schools before entering her life of sacrifice.

Two of her brothers are priests: Rev. Charles F. Hart, O. S. A., of Lawrence, and Rev. Leo Hart of Philadelphia. There are two sisters, Mrs. Kathleen Fox of Newton, and Mrs. Margaret McCarthy of High street, and two other brothers, John P. of High street and Neil Hart of Cuba street.

The funeral was held in Ilchester Tuesday.

Frank E. Bailey, a native of West Andover, passed away suddenly last Thursday at his home on Bailey road, aged 79 years and 7 months.

He is survived by his wife, Bertha C. (Chandler) Bailey; one son, Chandler Bailey of West Andover, and two granddaughters, Shirley Frances and Marilyn Ruth Bailey of West Andover.

Although Mr. Bailey had been in ill health for several years, his death was unexpected and will be a shock to the community. He was a well-known market gardener in West Andover where he was born, and lived in the same house his entire life. He was educated in the schools of Andover and was a graduate of Phillips Academy in the class of 1879. He was a member of Phillips Academy Alumni and a former member of Andover Grange, also a member of the State and National Grange.

Funeral services were held at his home Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, and were largely attended by friends and neighbors. Rev. Taplin J. Winslade, D.D., pastor of the North Tewksbury Church officiated. There were many beautiful floral tributes.

The bearers were Frank L. Davis of Reading, William Thompson of Manchester, N. H., James Baxter of Shawsheen Village, William Flint of Andover, Joseph Seamons and Harry Dawson of Tewksbury.

Interment took place in the family lot in the Lowell Cemetery.

## THE FRONT COVER

Bet you can't guess where these youngsters were sledding. If you took four guesses, they might be all right, for photographer Surette has taken four negatives to make a composite picture. Andover was so beautiful last week-end under its blanket of snow that one picture could not tell the story. This cover includes shots from West Andover, Shawsheen, Phillips Hill and a couple of other places that we couldn't keep track of.

It's hard keeping track of photographer Surette. At nine Tuesday night he borrowed the Townsman car and returned it at three the next morning. Where had he been? Newark, N. J. The car had been left at the East Boston Airport while Donald shot down to Newark and back by plane. Yes, he flies, too. It's a wonder that some of this week's cover doesn't include Newark snow scenes.

## Hatless Volunteers Go

Seven Andover volunteers became members of the army for the one-year training period this past week, with two out of nine volunteers returning after having failed to meet the requirements of the army doctors in Boston. Tuesday morning Louis Sanborn and Raymond Lynch went in to Boston as alternates for Morris Krinsky and Arthur Margerison who had gone Friday but who had not passed.

Last Friday morning Andover's largest quota to date, seven, left on the 8:45 train at five past nine for Boston. It was not the mildest of mornings, but just to show how rugged the U. S. Army will be with them in it, five out of the seven went off without hats.

Those accepted Friday were: John Lund Cederberg, Frederick Clarke Hinman, Lionel Arsene Boisvert, Edward Alfred Coates, and George Davies Gorrie.

Andover's young men are apparently making a better record than most of the state's draft areas for the state selective service officials have announced that nearly every draft board has exhausted its supply of volunteers, with this most recent induction calling on draftees. Even the alternates in Andover were volunteers.

One of the first young men to volunteer, Charles Armitage, failed to pass in Boston, but he's doing his bit for the government. He has secured a position now with the federal government at proving grounds under construction in Indiana, and he will have charge of the employees there.

## BIRTHS

A son, Monday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Soutar of Cedar road at the Phillips house, Boston. Mrs. Soutar is the former Gertrude Campion.

A son born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parrish of Los Angeles, California, gave another great-grandchild to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coleman of Chestnut street. Mrs. Parrish is the former Ethel McCrone and her mother is Anne Coleman McCrone, formerly of this town.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fisher, 75 North street, West Andover, at the Clover Hill Hospital on Sunday, January the 5th.

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Fine Cuts of Corned Beef .....	lb. 32c
Small Half Hams (5 to 6 lbs.) .....	lb. 25c
Tomato Sausage .....	lb. 33c
Native Veal for Loaf .....	lb. 33c
Beef for Pot Roast (no waste) .....	lb. 30c, 35c, 38c
Sirloin Roll (no waste) .....	lb. 49c
Ham Ends for Boiling .....	lb. 17c
Native Ducklings .....	lb. 25c

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Howard's Jams .....	lb. jar 21c, 2 lb. jar 39c
Libby's Homogenized Baby Foods .....	4 cans 25c
Miko Crabmeat (reg. size) .....	2 cans 39c
Sanka Coffee (drip or regular) .....	lb. 33c
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**ANDOVER SERVICE CLUB** regular meeting will be held Thursday evening, January 9. After the dinner at 6:15, George Gillette, "Chaser of Blues" will present a program of songs, monologues, and jokes.

**RED CROSS KNITTING CLUB** of St. Augustine's Church will meet Thursday, January 16 at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Lynch, 36 Union street. Yarn may be obtained from Mrs. George D'Entremont, Essex street.

**ANDOVER LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS** group studying "Juvenile Court and Probation system in Massachusetts; Women Offenders; and Improvement in Parole Procedure" will hold the first meeting January 13 at 3:00 at the home of Mrs. Byron Weiner, 15 Lincoln street. This course is sponsored by the Departments of Government and its Operation and Social Welfare under the leadership of Miss Anna Greeley and Mrs. Douglas Pitman.

**CENTRAL P. T. A.** will hold their January meeting on the 15th, Wednesday, in Pynchard High School.

**C. D. A.** regular business meeting will be held January 14, Tuesday, when plans for the new year will be made.

**THE WOMEN'S SOCIETY FOR CHRISTIAN SERVICE** of the Methodist Church, Ballardvale, announces a bakery sale on Saturday, January 11, in William Stark's market.

**ANDOVER COUNTRY CLUB** annual meeting will be held in the auditorium of the American Woolen Administration Building, Shawsheen Village, on Wednesday evening, January 15, 1941 at 7:45 o'clock. The annual reports will be read and the following officers are to be submitted by the Nominating Committee to be elected: President, Clifford M. North; First Vice President, George C. Best; Second Vice President, Joseph Sherlock; Secretary, W. Shirley Barnard; Treasurer, Edward A. Anderson. William Higgins and Sewell Titcomb, who have been on the Board of Governors for three years will again be elected. Those recommended for the Auditing Committee are Harold T. Houston, Chairman, George Gibson Brown and James L. Dean. Frank L. Brigham, who has been secretary for the past fourteen years, will retire.

**THE SQUARE AND COMPASS CLUB** can't get along without Rowland Luce. He's been president for two years and last Thursday night reluctantly agreed to a third-term draft. The first social function of the new term will be a venison supper on January 16th. Members will not bring their own deers, for it is to be a stag affair. An entertainment will follow. Rowland will be assisted by the following: first vice-president, Charles A. Hill; second vice-president, Walter E. Billings; secretary, Fred G. Cheney; treasurer, Everett Burton; directors, J. Lewis Smith, Osborne Sutton, Edward A. Anderson, Harold Leitch, plus the chairmen of the permanent committees: entertainment, Charles E. Foster, Harry W. Wadman, Everett Lundgren, Charles Scott, M. Phillips.

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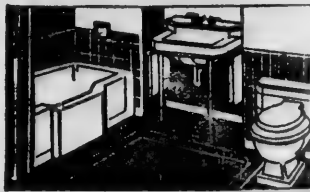
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2. United States bonds
3. Obligations of the State
4. Other bonds, notes, and
5. Corporate stocks and bonds
6. Cash, balance, and
7. Bank premises, fixtures \$4,000
11. Other assets

12. TOTAL ASSETS

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15. Deposits of United States savings
16. Deposits of other banks
17. Deposits of individuals
18. Other deposits
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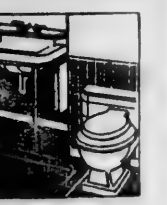
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**THE SHAWSHEEN VILLAGE WOMAN'S CLUB** Book Review group met Thursday at the home of Mrs. William W. Kurth of North Main street. The next meeting will be held Thursday, February 13.

The Dramatic department of this club will meet Friday afternoon, January 10, at the home of Mrs. Percy Nutton.

**SHAWSHEEN P. T. A.** will hold a Penny Social in charge of Mrs. Joseph T. Gagne.

**SHAWSHEEN GIRL SCOUT** troops are working on the various

scout badges. The older girls are working for their hostess badge, and the younger ones for their second class badges. The skating party has been postponed until weather permits.

**GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY** meeting was held Monday night. Games were played and the winners were Jeanette Deyermund, Mrs. Roy Russell, Doris Hilton, Anetta Anderson, Edna Marland, Helen Smith, Ruth Winward, Irene Forbes and Mrs. Leo Shiebler.

**R. P. C. CLUB** met on Monday evening at the home of Mina Noyes, Lovejoy road. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

**ANDOVER GRANGE, No. 183** will meet on next Tuesday evening in Grange Hall, for the installation of new officers. Supper will be served at 7:00 with the members of the Executive Committee in charge.

**GOOSE AND GANDER CLUB** will hold their January meeting in the West Church Vestry, Tuesday evening, January 16, at 8:00.

**REBEKAHS** will hold a whist party after the regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Thomas Wilber.

**EASTERN STAR** held its annual installation on Tuesday, January 7, with the following installing officers presiding: Installing Matron, Mrs. Frances E. Douglas, P.G.M., Installing Patron, Thomas Harriot, G.P. They were assisted by Miss Bertha Cuthill, P.M., and Mrs. Blanche Foster.

The following officers were installed: worthy matron, Beatrice Goff; worthy patron, Louis Roke; associate matron, Mrs. John S. Conway; associate patron, John Conway; conductress, Miss Nellie Irvine; associate conductress, Mrs. Irene Clemons; chaplain, Mrs. Edith Manning, P.M.; marshal, Miss Ruth Goff, Jr. P.M.; organist, Mrs. Florence Thomson, P.M.; Adah, Mrs. Nellie Smith; Ruth, Miss Marianna Cromie; Esther, Miss Marjorie White; Martha, Miss Georgianna Petrie; Electa, Mrs. Alma Haakonsen; warder, Mrs. Hazel Thomson; sentinel, Victor Smith, P.P.; secretary, Bertha Cuthill, P.M.; treasurer, Mrs. Frances Wade.

**THE YOUNG MEN'S REPUBLICAN CLUB**, on next Thursday evening, if attorney-general Bob Bushnell gives his okay, will have the privilege of hearing attorney Joseph F. Bacigalupo in a round-table discussion on "Laws Affecting Fifth Column Activities." The attorney has prepared a thorough brief for the attorney-general on this matter. Rep. Raymond Schlapp will be present.

**BALLARDVALE P. T. A.** meeting, in the form of a quiz program, proved to be very interesting. The prize winners, in order, were Mrs. James Morton, Mrs. Robert Mitchell and Mrs. Sterney Corney. Mrs. Frank Serio won a special prize and Miss Mina Noyes' room won the banner.

At the February meeting, Kenneth L. Sherman, superintendent of schools, will talk on a "Lesson in English."

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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF**

**THE ANDOVER NATIONAL BANK**

of Andover in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business on December 31, 1940.

(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes)

**ASSETS**

1. Loans and discounts (including \$5.73 overdrafts) .....	\$1,014,820.76
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed .....	956,992.78
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions .....	66,293.38
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures .....	128,785.21
5. Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank .....	11,450.00
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection .....	1,350,624.48
7. Bank premises owned \$121,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$4,500.00 .....	125,500.00
11. Other assets .....	2,863.93
12. TOTAL ASSETS .....	\$3,657,330.54

**LIABILITIES**

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	1,881,457.67
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	980,868.45
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) .....	5,694.51
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions .....	113,354.17
17. Deposits of banks .....	181,854.97
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) .....	71,647.19
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS .....	\$3,234,876.96
23. Other liabilities .....	2,337.51
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES .....	\$3,237,214.47

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

25. Capital stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$200,000.00 .....	200,000.00
26. Surplus .....	180,200.00
27. Undivided profits .....	33,447.14
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock) .....	6,468.93
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS .....	420,116.07
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS .....	\$3,657,330.54

**MEMORANDA**

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities .....	42,800.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) .....	5,000.00
(c) TOTAL .....	47,800.00
32. Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law .....	5,564.86
(d) TOTAL .....	5,564.86

State of Massachusetts, County of Essex, ss:

I, C. W. Holland, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Chester W. Holland, Cashier.

(Seal)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1941.

Frank R. Petty,  
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### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Alice Farnsworth late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Marion Elizabeth Farnsworth of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirteenth day of January 1941, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

(26-2-9)

### THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS



### TOWN OF ANDOVER ASSESSORS' NOTICE

In accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 29, TO ALL PERSONS SUBJECT TO TAXATION IN THE TOWN OF ANDOVER

ALL individuals, partnerships, associations or trusts, and corporations, residents of, or owning property located in, this town are hereby notified that they are required to bring in to the Local Board of Assessors in the form prescribed by Henry F. Long, Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation

ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31, 1941 TRUE LISTS OF POLLS AND PROPERTY, as follows: ON FORM OF LIST 2 POLLS

MALE INHABITANTS above the age of 20 on January 1, 1941, whether citizens of the United States or aliens, are liable for a poll tax.

Males between the ages of 20 and 21 are to be reported by, and in the place of residence of, their parents or guardians. If such a male minor has no parent or guardian in Massachusetts, he is personally liable for a poll tax as if he were of full age.

Any male inhabitant 21 years of age or over who is under guardianship is to be reported by his guardian in the place where such guardian is taxed for his own poll.

PERSONAL ESTATE ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY NOT EXPRESSLY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION is required to be listed under the items given on Form of List 2.

RESIDENTS need not include INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY the in-

come from which, if any, is included in a Massachusetts Income Tax Return filed in the same year.

NON-RESIDENTS, including foreign insurance companies, and foreign corporations which are engaged exclusively in interstate commerce, are NOT entitled to any exemption on account of TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY, which includes all MERCHANDISE, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT, FURNITURE and FIXTURES.

Note.—A person is not entitled to any abatement of a tax on personal property unless a list is seasonably filed, except as provided in General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 61.

#### REAL ESTATE

ALL REAL ESTATE SUBJECT TO TAXATION in the Town of ANDOVER on January 1, 1941.

Sworn statements which may be made by mortgagors or mortgagees under General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 34 must be filed on or before January 31, 1941.

In the case of any person claiming exemption under General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 5, clauses 17, 18, 22 or 23, the assessors may require a full list of all such person's property, both real and personal.

NOT LATER THAN \*MARCH 1, 1941 ON FORM 3 (ABC)

TRUE LISTS MUST BE RETURNED OF ALL REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY HELD FOR LITERARY, TEMPERANCE, BENEVOLENT, CHARITABLE OR SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES ON JANUARY 1, 1941, or at the election of the corporation on the last day of its fiscal year last preceding January 1, 1941, such lists to include the amount of RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR SAID PURPOSES during the year of the return.

FRATERNAL BENEFIT CORPORATIONS which make returns to the Commissioner of Insurance under General Laws, Chapter 176, Section 38, are not required to file this list.

\*For cause, time for filing Form 3 (ABC) may be extended to April 1.

HOWELL F. SHEPARD, Chm.  
J. EVERETT COLLINS  
ROY E. HARDY

Board of Assessors of Andover

Blanks for Form of List 2 and for Form 3 (ABC) may be obtained at the office of the Board of Assessors or will be mailed by the Assessors upon request.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Joanna C. Freeman late of Andover in said county, (wife of Harry O. Freeman) deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court by Harry O. Freeman praying that the value of the property of said deceased remaining after the payment of debts, and charges of administration may be determined by said Court.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1941, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
Rowell, Clay & Tomlinson, Attys.

(9-16-23)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary C. Stafford late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Wright H. Stafford of Andover, in said County and Mary F. Arey of Worcester in the County of Worcester, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1941, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.  
James A. Donovan, Atty.  
706 Bay State Bldg.  
Lawrence, Mass.

### ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

Andover, Mass.

January 9, 1941

The Annual Meeting of the Members of the Andover Savings Bank will be held at the Bank on the second Monday of January, 1941, at 3:15 o'clock p.m., for the choice of Officers, and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

ALFRED E. STEARNS, Clerk



### TOWN OF ANDOVER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Selectmen, Town of Andover, will receive bids for 25,000 gallons of motor gasoline and also for 25,000 gallons of Ethyl gasoline, estimated requirements for 1941. Bids must be filed on or before 4:30 P. M. January 20, 1941, with the Town Clerk. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Selectmen.  
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk  
Date of issue 1-9-41

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Albert P. Couch late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of John S. Couch and another.

The trustees of said estate have presented to said Court for allowance their second and final account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-seventh day of January 1941, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register

### Andover National Bank

The following pass book issued by the Andover National Bank has been lost and application has been made for the issuance of a duplicate book. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.

Book Number 2750

CHESTER W. HOLLAND, Cashier

### ANDOVER NATIONAL BANK

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Andover National Bank, will be held at its Banking House, 23 Main Street, Andover, Mass., Tuesday, the fourteenth day of January, 1941, at ten o'clock a. m. for the choice of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

CHESTER W. HOLLAND, Cashier  
December 12, 1940.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of Ellen Grant late of Andover in said County (wife of Frederick W. Grant), deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Frederick W. Grant of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1941, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register  
(9-16-23)

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following refreshment committee: Mrs. Albert Cole, Mrs. Emile Du Fresne and Mrs. William Coupe. The endless chain prize, donated by Mrs. Henry Albers was won by Mrs. Fred Collins.

Next Thursday, January 16, the club is planning a luncheon at the Danish Coffee House. The luncheon will be at 1 o'clock, and those wishing to attend should contact Mrs. Fred L. Collins, Summer street.

**LEAGUE FOREIGN AFFAIRS SCHOOL.** Mrs. LaRue Brown, president of the Massachusetts League of Women Voters, announced today the twentieth annual Foreign Affairs School at Radcliffe College to be held on January 21, 22, and 23. Said Mrs. Brown, "There has never been a time when the Foreign Affairs School of the League was more important or when it was more happy to present the school as one of its chief educational undertakings. The topic, 'The Americas' was chosen this year because no real 'Good Neighbor Policy' on our part is possible without better understanding of Latin America and its problems, and because the need for 'hemisphere defense' has created a wholly new orientation and wholly new problems for the United States."

The opening speakers will take up the sub-heading, "Looking North and South" with emphasis on conditions in Canada and South America. Following, "Defense of the Americas" will be considered.

**MERRIMACK VALLEY WHEAT-ON CLUB** meeting will be held Friday evening, January 10, at the home of Mrs. Webster Plaisted, Methuen. The speaker of the evening will be Mrs. Kathleen Emerson Swan who will speak on "There's a Reason for It."

**CENTRAL P. T. A.** will hold their next meeting on Wednesday, January 15, at 8:00 p.m. in the Memorial Auditorium of the junior-senior high schools.

Dr. Donald Leith of the Phillips Academy faculty will be the speaker and will talk on "A Criticism of Some Modern Methods of Education." A discussion period will follow the talk and the public is invited.

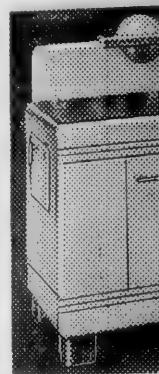
**NOVEMBER CLUB** will meet January 13 and there will be an illustrated lecture on "A Naturalist in The Canadian Rockies." It includes natural history and scenic beauty of Lake Louise and Banff.

### WOMAN'S UNION MEETS

The Woman's Union of the West Church met yesterday afternoon. A Missionary play entitled "Ruth and Naomi" was presented by members of Mrs. Donald Savage's Sunday school class as follows: Naomi, Constance Dow; Opa, Jean Court; Ruth, Dorothea Blomquist; Head Reaper, Nancy Trumbull; First, Cynthia Pashe; Second, Jean Hardy; Boaz, Barbara Lewis; Kinsman, Mable Broughton; Citizens, Nancy Trumbull and Jean Hardy; Announcer, Shirley Stevens.

The devotionals were led by Jean Hardy. The hostesses were Mrs. S'dney Batchelder, Mrs. Edgar Wright, Miss Annie Wright.

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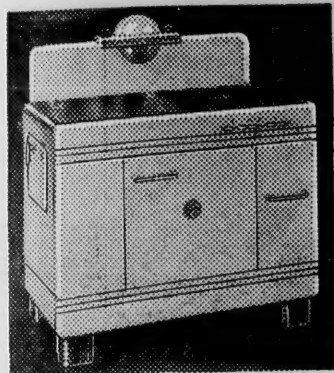
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## CHURCHES

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday 9:30 Unified Worship of the  
Church School, led by Mrs. Stevens  
Class: 9:45 Individual Classes; 10:45  
Morning Worship and sermon on "What is  
Christianity?" 6:30 Christian Endeavor  
led by Rovena Eastman's group; Monday,  
6:30, Boy Scouts in large vestry; 8:30  
Baraca Class at Guild; Friday, 7:00 Choir  
rehearsal; 8:00 Executive Council meeting  
of the whole church in vestry.

### ST. AUGUSTINE'S

Sunday masses 6:30, 8:30, 9:45, 11:30;  
morning masses at 7:30; Friday evening  
devotion at 7:45.

### P. A. CHAPEL

Dr. Henry Pitt Van Dusen.

### ABBOT ACADEMY VESPERS

7:30 Rev. Brainard Gibbons of the  
Church of the Good Shepherd in Lawrence  
will speak. Guests are welcome.

### FREE CHURCH

Sunday, 9:30 Church School; 10:45  
Nursery Class; 10:45 Morning worship  
with sermon; 12:00 Slattery Class; 12:00  
Men's Class; 6:00 Junior Christian En-  
deavor; 7:00 Senior Christian Endeavor  
meet with West Church Young People;  
Wednesday, 6:00 Church supper and an-  
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7:30 Senior Choir; Friday, 7:00 Boy  
Scouts.

### WEST CHURCH

Thursday, 7:30 Annual Parish meeting  
in vestry; 8:00 Jr. Woman's Union at par-  
sonage; Sunday, 10:30 Church School;  
10:30 Morning worship and sermon; 12:00  
Senior choir; 7:00 Young People's Fellow-  
ship will entertain Christian Youth Groups  
of Andover in vestry. Mr. Richard Pieters  
of Phillips Academy will speak about, and  
show motion pictures of "The Friends'  
Work Camps"; Tuesday, 10 to 4 Red Cross  
sewing in vestry; 4:00 Girl Scouts; 7:00  
Boy Scouts.

### CHRIST CHURCH

Thursday 8:00 Parish Council meeting  
at rectory; Friday, 7:00 Order of Sir  
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Church School; 11:00 Morning prayer and  
sermon; 5:15 Evening prayer and brief ad-  
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### SOUTH CHURCH

Sunday, 9:30 Church School and the  
Little Church; 10:45 Morning worship and  
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Thursday, 2:00 Women's Union; 4:00 Ju-  
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Boy Scouts.

### UNION CONGREGATIONAL

Friday, 6:30 Choir rehearsal; Sunday,  
9:30 Church school; 10:45 Morning wor-  
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### METHODIST CHURCH

Friday, 7:00 Choir rehearsal; Saturday,  
10:30 Bakery sale; Sunday, 10:30 Church  
service; 11:40 Church school; 6:30 Ep-  
worth League.

### MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

On December 28th, Miss Eliza-  
beth Faber Fischer of Peoria, Ill.,  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester  
Owen Fischer of Longmeadow, be-  
came the bride of Ernest A. John-  
son, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest  
A. Johnson of William street, at a  
ceremony in the First Baptist  
church, Peoria. Mr. Johnson is now  
residing in Cambridge where he is  
studying for his Ph.D. degree at  
Harvard.

### MARRIAGE INTENTION

Victor J. Mill, Jr., 106 Elm street  
and Barbara Ann Lee, 117 East  
street, Methuen.

### RECEIVE REQUESTS

The South Church, the Village  
Improvement Society and the His-  
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will of Mrs. Mattie A. Caldwell who  
died December 23. The church re-  
ceives \$1,000 and the others \$500  
each.

### COSTUME PARTY

The Catholic Daughters of Am-  
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sometime in January. More will be  
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members hold their business meet-  
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**TIN PAN ALLEY**—Alice Faye and Betty Grable 3:30; 6:30; 9:30  
**BLONDIE PLAYS CUPID**—Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake 2:25; 5:25; 8:25

**SUNDAY-MONDAY—January 12-13**

**BITTER SWEET**—Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy 3:30; 6:30; 9:25  
**SO YOU WON'T TALK**—Joe E. Brown and Francis Robinson 2:25; 5:20; 8:20

**TUES., WED., THURS., FRI., SAT.—January 14-15-16-17-18**  
(5-Day Extended Run—Special Program)

**ARIZONA**—Jean Arthur and William Holden 3:05; 6:05; 9:05  
**COMPLETE BOSTON COLLEGE vs. TENNESSEE** 2:35; 5:35; 8:35  
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## MALE CHOIR SINGS AT SHAWSHEEN MEETING

The main part of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club program held Monday night in Balmoral Hall were natural color films of the New England coast narrated by Dan Stiles, New England writer and lecturer. The Andover Male Choir rendered the following selections which are enjoyed whenever they are heard: "Break Forth, O Heavenly Light," "Lo, How a Rose e'er Blooming," "Dr. Foster," "Evening Pastoral," "Old Mother Hubbard," "Visions," and "The Sleigh."

Mrs. Edwin Bramley was general chairman and the hostesses were Mrs. Clayton H. Northey, Mrs. Benjamin Schubert, Mrs. George Norwood, Mrs. Percy Nutton, Mrs. J. O'Connor, Mrs. Edward O'Connell, Miss Alice Olliff, Mrs. William Pedlow, Mrs. Harold Peters, Mrs. Thomas Peters, Mrs. Alfred Pidgeon, Mrs. William Poland, Miss Mary Robinson, Mrs. Earle Rutter, Mrs. Charles Sawyer, Mrs. Henry J. Simmers, Mrs. Wright Stafford and Mrs. Clinton H. Stevens.

## WOMEN VOTERS STUDY GROUP

The first meeting of the Study Group on "Juvenile Court and Probation System, and Improvement in Parole Procedure" being conducted by Mrs. Douglas Pitman, Assistant Chairman of Government and Social Welfare and Atty. Anna M. Greeley, Government in Operation Chairman of the Andover League of Women Voters, will be held on Monday at three at the home of Mrs. Byron Weiner, 15 Lincoln street. Mrs. Charles Van Wie Morris, State Chairman of the Government and Social Welfare Committee of the Massachusetts League of Women Voters, will be the guest speaker. Those desiring transportation may call Mrs. Douglas Pitman, Andover 1594. Tea will be served during the discussion period following Mrs. Morris' talk.

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## News Of Old Andover

ONCE UPON A TIME turn-overs were often caused by natural exuberance...FIFTY YEARS AGO Mr. Hannon took a coach party for a ride to Lowell and back... When they were about to stop in front of Chapman's dining rooms for supper, the boys in their anxiety to get off put too much weight on one side and upset the coach, landing them in the snow... Henry W. Barnard entertained a large group of friends at his home on High street on a Monday evening when he held a progressive whist party... It was a full dress affair...

The National bank elected its officers for the year 1891 and Moses T. Stevens was chosen president and John H. Flint vice president...

A marriage of local prominence took place on Tuesday evening when the well-known station agent at the Boston & Maine depot, W. H. Goodwin, was wed to Miss E. F. Bellows of Brookline, daughter of a prominent musician of that town...

In the first official report of the 1890 census for the cities and towns in Essex County, the population of Andover was 6,142; North Andover, 3,742; Lawrence, 44,654; and the total population for the county was 299,995.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO the town's population had jumped to 7,975, which made an increase of almost 2,000 in twenty-five years... There were 63 marriages that year and Rev. Mr. Wilson performed 16 of them, Father Riordan came next with 9; and others were: Shipman, 2; Lombard, 2; Bigelow, 5; Donovan, 2; Matthews, 1; and all others 26...

At the West church parsonage, Wallace H. Angus and Miss Vernie Belle Pike were united in marriage by Rev. Newman Matthews... Miss Eva Pike was the bride's attendant and Timothy Sullivan was the best man...

With the beginning of the new year, annual meetings were being held then as now and the Indian Ridge Rebekah Lodge elected the following: Noble Grand, Miss Charlotte M. Hill; vice grand, Mrs. George Holt; recording secretary, Miss Sadie M. Hobbs; financial secretary, Mrs. Frank Holt; treasurer, Mrs. William Faulkner; warden, Mrs. J. Houghton Flint; conductor, Mrs. Walter S. Rhodes; R. S. N. G., Mrs. Jennie M. Bean; L. S. N. G., Mrs. Walter Buxton; R. S. U. G., Mrs. Frank L. Cole; L. S. V. G., Mrs. Sarah MacCreddie; chaplain, Mrs. Elmer Conkey; inside guard, Miss Lottie Hill; outside guard, Miss Marv Webb...

TEN YEARS AGO the town was elated at the telegram received from Edith Nourse Rogers concerning the location of the new post office... It read as follows: "The Treasury Department has decided to purchase for the post office, the land belonging to William J. Burns on Main street near Chestnut street for \$20,000."

Some of the college and preparatory school students returning to their studies after the Christmas and New Year holidays were: Barton Chapin, Jr., to River school, Brookline... Gilbert Cromie, to Massachusetts Agricultural school... Kenneth Duff, to St. John's... Richard McLanathan to Choate school, Cheshire, Conn... Elwyn Chase and Howard Walker to Dummer Academy... Miss Florence Bilodeau to Colby... Lucy Sanborn to Bryn Mawr...

## Communication

### ANDOVER SKATING AREA

The Paddle Tennis Court in the Playstead has been prepared for flooding for several weeks—awaiting a continued cold spell. The work is being done under supervision of the Skating Committee appointed by the Town of Andover. No hockey will be allowed on the area, since the committee desires

to afford ample space for free skating for the children.

With the small appropriation available it is inadvisable to prepare ice today which will melt tomorrow.

Come Bulletin U. S. L. T. A.:

"Naturally we are dependent on the weather. Freezing must be done from the bottom up, instead of the reverse as in the case of ponds. Any attempt to freeze the surface

of a tennis court before the frost has gone down at least a foot will probably result in failure. In the second place, ice can only be done satisfactorily when the thermometer is below 25 degrees."

If cold weather continues for a few days, there will be good ice on the Paddle Tennis Court.

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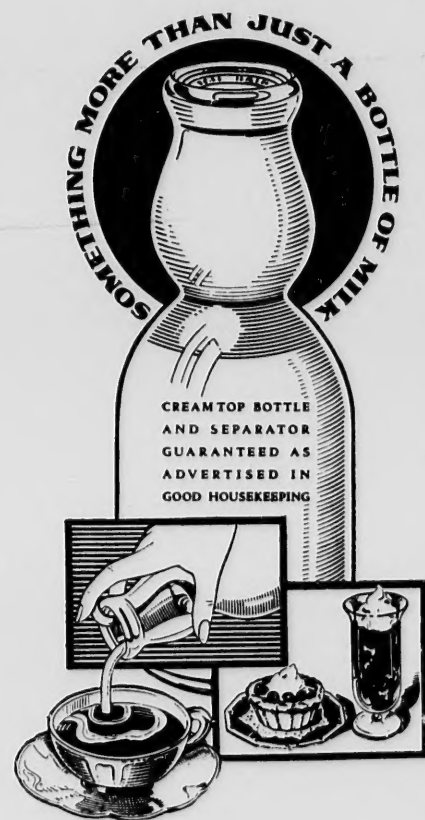
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1 Jap Mink trimmed Coat. Red. Size 20. Was \$48	\$27
1 Raccoon trimmed Coat. Green. Size 12. Was \$59.75	\$27
1 Sable-dyed Opossum trimmed Coat. Black. Size 42. Was \$49.95	\$27
1 Raccoon shawled Coat. Tan. Size 20. Was \$45	\$27
1 Full Persian trimmed Coat. Black. Size 41. Was \$45	\$27
1 Sable Fitch trimmed Coat. Brown. Size 35. Was \$45	\$27
2 Kit Fox trimmed Coats. Navy. Sizes 38-42. Were \$45	\$27
1 Sable Squirrel trimmed Coat. Black. Size 39. Was \$39.95	\$27
1 Sable Squirrel trimmed Coat. Nutria. Size 16. Was \$39.95	\$27
1 Raccoon trimmed Coat. Camel Hair. Size 18. Was \$39.95	\$27
2 Grey Wolf trimmed Coats. Black. Sizes 14-18. Were \$39.95	\$27
1 Natural Squirrel trimmed Coat. Blue. Size 12. Was \$39.95	\$27
1 Raccoon trimmed Coat. Tweed. Size 16. Was \$59.95	\$27
1 Lynx Wolf trimmed Coat. Ombre Plaid. Size 12. Was \$39.95	\$27
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1 Lynx Wolf Coat. Diagonal Tweed. Size 14. Was \$39.95	\$27
3 Kolinsky trim Coats. Black. Sizes 12-14-16. Were \$39.95	\$27
1 Blonde Wolf trimmed Coat. Nutria Brown. Size 14. Was \$39.95	\$27
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